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In re Application of: Dennis WOLEVER et al. Confirmation No. 8552

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PRODUCING SAME

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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office action mailed April 4, 2007, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments and remarks into the file of this application.

Amendments to the Claims appear herein starting on page 2.

Remarks in support of the patentability of the claims appear starting on page 6 herein.

A Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) is enclosed.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission other than a request for an extension of time that is filed concurrently herewith. Should any other fees be required, please charge all such fees to Winston & Strawn LLP deposit account 50-1814.